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In re U.S. Patent No. 7,054,909		Serial No. 09/695,231
) Inventors: Masaru OHKUBO, et al. )		Filed: October 25, 2000
) Issue Date: May 30, 2006 )		Attorney Docket No. 000407.00004
For:	AUTOMATIC VENDING ) MACHINE HAVING A CONTROL) SYSTEM CAPABLE OF EASILY ) AND RELIABLY REWRITING ) A CONTROL PROGRAM IN ) EACH TERMINAL CONTROL )	Of Correction

## REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 254 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, this is a request for the issuance of a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent. Two (2) copies of PTO Form 1050 are appended. The complete Certificate of Correction involves one (1) page.

The mistake identified in the appended Form occurred through no fault of the Applicants, as clearly disclosed by the records of the application that matured into this patent.

Issuance of the Certificate of Correction containing the correction is respectfully requested. Since this change is necessitated through no fault of the Applicants, no fee is believed to be associated with this request. Nonetheless, should the Patent and Trademark Office determine that a fee is required, please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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Column 10, line 58, change "cot" to --not--.

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